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The Applicants offer the attached Additional Statement of Relevancy for the following document cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed June 10, 2005: JP-08-006745.

The attached Statement of Relevancy is a partial translation of the Japanese published patent application. Please consider the translation in conjunction with the English-language translated abstract submitted with the document when the Information Disclosure Statement was filed.

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